



Dear Goffstown Rail Trail Stakeholders,

Friends of the Goffstown Rail Trail president Lowell Von Ruden will lead NHDOT and other Goffstown Rail Trail stakeholders in a bicycle and pedestrian transportation review along the Goffstown Rail Trail on Monday September 10, 2012. You are invited to join us at key locations by bicycle, foot or automobile as we review the Trail and area connections from Goffstown Village to Fisher Cats Stadium near downtown Manchester. Invited stakeholders include engineering, cultural resources, wetlands, transportation, utilities and educational professionals and property abutters, trail users and taxpayers.

The purpose of the Review is to inform participants, promote cooperation and provide a networking opportunity to encourage continued development of the Goffstown Rail Trail. The Review will provide participants with a cyclist's-eye view of the existing trail while we consider options for improvement and expansion. The Review will be an opportunity to share information that could improve our own best practices in areas of engineering, development, maintenance, conservation and enforcement. The Review will identify existing bicycle transportation facilities and imagine future intermodal connections for the Goffstown area.

Please refer to the [Interactive Google Map](#). The Review will begin at the [Goffstown Parks and Rec Trail Center](#), departing at 9:00am. See the [Agenda](#) and [map](#) for exact locations and times of the meeting places. The meeting times and places are sequenced with meeting times shown on the Agenda. We plan to keep close to the schedule shown on the Agenda so that interested parties can meet us at any of the designated stops for specific parts of the review of particular interest if desired. Review participants may have additional agenda items to consider and time is allowed in the schedule to make additional stops to discuss additional agenda items as needed. A shortened loop that does not go into Manchester will be available if desired. Please contact Larry Keniston or Lowell Von Ruden if you have any questions.

*Please note: In the email distribution, we have identified you as a Goffstown Rail trail stakeholder. Participation in the review, however, is not limited to this distribution. Please feel free to forward on to other trail stakeholders who may have an interest.*

Thank you,

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*In case of a sustained rain event on Monday September 10, we have set Friday September 14, 2012 as the rain date. Please text or call Larry Keniston at 603-717-5887 if you have any questions on the morning of the Review.*